



Utah State Agriculture Overview - 2004

Farms

Number of Farms	15,300
Land in Farms (acres)	11,600,000
Average Farm Size (acres)	758

Livestock Inventory

Cattle and Calves - All (Jan. 1, 2005)	860,000
Hogs & Pigs - All (Dec. 1, 2004)	690,000
Sheep	265,000

Milk

Milk Cows (Average head)	88,000
Milk Production per Cow (lbs)	18,284
Production (lbs)	1,609,000,000

Crops - Planted, Harvested, Yield, Production, Price(MYA), Value of Production

Commodity	Planted All Purpose Acres	Harvested Acres	Yield	Production	Price per Unit	Value of Production Dollars
Hay All (Dry)		715,000	3.5 tons	2,469,000 tons	87.50 dols / ton	213,480,000
Hay Alfalfa (Dry)		560,000	3.8 tons	2,128,000 tons	87.50 dols / ton	186,200,000
Hay Other (Dry)		155,000	2.2 tons	341,000 tons	80.00 dols / ton	27,280,000
Wheat All	143,000	132,000	44.4 bus	5,856,000 bus	3.65 dols / bu	21,206,000
Wheat Winter All	130,000	120,000	43.0 bus	5,160,000 bus	3.55 dols / bu	18,318,000
Barley All	50,000	40,000	86.0 bus	3,440,000 bus	2.25 dols / bu	7,740,000
Corn For Grain	55,000	12,000	155.0 bus	1,860,000 bus	2.65 dols / bu	4,929,000
Wheat Other Spring	13,000	12,000	58.0 bus	696,000 bus	4.15 dols / bu	2,888,000
Oats	60,000	8,000	78.0 bus	624,000 bus	1.80 dols / bu	1,123,000
Beans Dry Edible All	5,300	4,800	300.0 cwt	14,000 cwt	28.00 dols / cwt	392,000
Corn For Silage		42,000	22.0 tons	924,000 tons		
Beans Pinto	5,300	4,800	300.0 cwt	14,000 cwt		
Alfalfa & Alfalfa	50,000					
Mixtures - New Seedings						
Field & Misc Crops	1,028,000					

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Utah - Ranked items within U.S. 2002

Item	Quantity	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,115,898	37	50
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	257,797	41	50
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	858,101	33	50
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	30,139	38	50
Tobacco			23
Cotton and cottonseed			17
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	13,620	43	50
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	6,162	38	50
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	92,646	30	50
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	103	46	50
Other crops and hay	115,127	22	50
Poultry and eggs	84,178	31	50
Cattle and calves	371,418	27	50
Milk and other dairy products from cows	196,812	25	50
Hogs and pigs	153,112	15	50
Sheep, goats, and their products	17,804	9	50
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	7,776	36	50
Aquaculture	5,746	24	50
Other animals and other animal products	21,255	12	50
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	3,426,388	25	50
Turkeys			50
Cattle and calves	876,951	32	50
Hogs and pigs	670,047	16	50
Sheep and lambs	310,934	6	50
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	717,984	28	50
All Wheat for grain	112,714	34	48
Corn for silage	46,442	28	49
Barley	33,330	16	43
Corn for grain	14,999	40	49

Other Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Principal operators by primary occupation:		Farms by value of sales	
Farming	7,447	Less than \$1,000	5,628
Other	7,835	\$1,000 to \$2,499	1,664
		\$2,500 to \$4,999	1,455
Principal operators by sex:		\$5,000 to \$9,999	1,399
Male	14,054	\$10,000 to \$19,999	1,350
Female	1,228	\$20,000 to \$24,999	383
		\$25,000 to \$39,999	720
Average age of principal operator (years)	55	\$40,000 to \$49,999	308
		\$50,000 to \$99,999	788
All operators ² by race:		\$100,000 to \$249,999	788
White	22,850	\$250,000 to \$499,999	419
Black or African American	4	\$500,000 or more	380
American Indian or Alaska Native	146		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	12	Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	933,114
Asian	59	Average per farm (\$)	61,020
More than one race	63		
		Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	220,270
All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	499	Average per farm (\$)	14,404

(D) Cannot be disclosed. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of states in U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.